

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 60th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

Call to Order: By Chairman Ron Stoker, on April 11, 2007 at 3:00 P.M., in Room 152 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Ron Stoker, Chairman (R)
Rep. Arlene Becker, Vice Chairman (D)
Rep. Tom McGillvray, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. Mary Caferro (D)
Rep. Ernie Dutton (R)
Rep. Julie French (D)
Rep. Pat Ingraham (R)
Rep. William J. Jones (R)
Rep. Krayton Kerns (R)
Rep. Dave McAlpin (D)
Rep. Mike Milburn (R)
Rep. Ken Peterson (R)
Rep. Michele Reinhart (D)
Rep. Diane Sands (D)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Debbie Carlson, Committee Secretary
Sue O'Connell, Legislative Branch

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Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: None.
Executive Action: SB 94; SB 387; HJR 47; SB 504; SB 236; HJR 19; HJR 48; SB 162; HJR 52; SJR 23; HJR 18

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 162

00:01:12 **Motion:** Rep. Reinhart moved that SB 162 **BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

00:01:39 Rep. Kerns
00:01:49 Rep. Peterson
00:01:58 Rep. Stoker
00:02:08 Rep. Peterson
00:02:37 Rep. McAlpin
00:02:43 Rep. Peterson
00:03:06 Rep. French
00:03:24 Rep. Reinhart
00:04:16 Rep. Stoker

00:04:33 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Caferro, Rep. Milburn and Rep. Sands voted by proxy. Rep. Reinhart will carry the bill on the floor of the House.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 504

00:05:52 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved that SB 504 **BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

00:06:05 Rep. French
00:06:55 Rep. Peterson
00:07:14 Rep. Jones
00:08:29 Rep. Peterson
00:09:11 Rep. Jones

00:10:12 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-7 by roll call vote. Reps. Becker, French, Sands, Caferro, Jones, Reinhart and McAlpin voted aye. Reps. Caferro, Sands and Milburn voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 387

00:11:44 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved SB 387 **BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

00:12:06 Rep. Kerns
00:12:38 Rep. Becker
00:13:12 Rep. Peterson
00:13:46 Rep. Dutton
00:14:32 Rep. Jones

00:15:48 Rep. Kerns
00:16:11 Rep. Dutton

00:16:25 **Vote:** Motion carried 9-5 by roll call vote. Reps. McGillvray, Peterson, Milburn, Kerns and Stoker voted no. Rep. Caferro and Rep. Milburn voted by proxy. Rep. Henry will carry the bill on the floor.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HJR 47

00:17:40 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. McGillvray moved HJR 47 **BE ADOPTED.** Motion carried by voice vote 13-1 with Rep. Dutton voting no. Rep. Caferro voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HJR 48

00:18:46 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved HJR 48 **BE ADOPTED.**

00:19:06 Sue O'Connell
[EXHIBIT \(huh76a01\)](#)
[EXHIBIT \(huh76a02\)](#)

00:19:30 **Motion:** Rep. Becker moved **TO AMEND** HJR 48(Exhibit 1).

Discussion:

00:20:55 Rep. McGillvray
00:21:34 Rep. Becker
00:22:38 Rep. Dutton
00:23:30 Rep. McGillvray
00:23:38 Rep. Sands

00:24:09 **Vote:** Motion carried 13-1 by voice vote. Rep. Caferro voted by proxy.

00:24:58 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved **TO AMEND** HJR 48 (Exhibit 2).

Discussion:

00:26:35 Rep. Peterson
00:27:13 Rep. Jones

00:28:21 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Caferro voted by proxy.

00:29:09 **Motion:** Rep. French moved HJR 48 **BE ADOPTED AS AMENDED.**

Discussion:

00:29:27 Rep. Peterson
00:29:49 Rep. Reinhart
00:30:18 Rep. McGillvray
00:31:25 Rep. Stoker

00:32:20 **Vote:** Motion carried 12-2 by voice vote with Reps.
Peterson and Caferro voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HJR 52

00:32:40 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved HJR 52 **BE ADOPTED.**
EXHIBIT (huh76a03)

00:33:06 Rep. Dutton moved **TO AMEND** HJR 52 (Exhibit 3).

Discussion:

00:34:22 Rep. McAlpin
00:34:40 Rep. Reinhart
00:35:06 Rep. Peterson
00:35:41 Rep. Becker
00:35:48 Rep. Dutton
00:36:24 Rep. McGillvray
00:37:06 Rep. McAlpin
00:37:37 Rep. Stoker
00:38:02 Rep. Dickenson
00:39:30 Rep. Stoker
00:39:54 Rep. Dickenson
00:40:14 Rep. Dutton
00:41:08 Rep. Reinhart
00:41:44 Rep. McGillvray

00:44:10 **Vote:** Motion on Amendment failed 7-7 by roll call
vote. Reps. Becker, French, Peterson, Dutton, Sands,
Milburn and Kerns voted aye. Reps. Caferro, Sands and
French voted by proxy.

00:44:24 **Motion:** Rep. Reinhart moved HJR 52 **BE ADOPTED.**

Discussion:

00:44:52 Rep. Milburn
00:45:15 Rep. Kerns
00:45:32 Rep. McAlpin
00:45:59 Rep. Sands
00:46:25 Rep. Reinhart
00:47:05 Rep. Peterson
00:48:02 Rep. Jones

00:48:27 **Vote:** Motion carried 12-2 by roll call vote with Rep. Milburn and Rep. Kerns voting no. Rep. French voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 94

00:49:32 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved SB 94 **BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

00:50:28 Rep. Kerns

00:50:36 Rep. Dutton

00:51:29 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SJR 19

00:51:56 **Motion:** Rep McGillvray moved SJR 19 **BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

00:52:23 Rep. Dutton

00:53:22 Rep. Stoker

00:53:47 Rep. French

00:54:36 Rep. Peterson

00:55:33 **Vote:** Motion carried 9-5 by voice vote with Reps. Ingraham, Milburn, Kerns, Peterson and Stoker voting no. Rep. French will carry the bill on the floor.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SJR 23

00:56:57 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved SJR 23 **BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

00:57:32 Rep. Kerns

00:58:00 Rep. Caferro

00:58:37 Rep. Becker

00:59:18 Rep. Peterson

00:59:58 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-7 by roll call vote with Reps. Becker, French, Caferro, Jones, Reinhart, McAlpin and Milburn voting aye.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HJR 18

01:01:25 **Motion:** Rep. French moved HJR 18 **BE ADOPTED.**

Discussion:

01:02:08 Rep. Kerns

01:03:24 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-7 by roll call vote with Reps. Becker, French, Sands, Caferro, Jones, Reinhart and McAlpin voting aye.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 236

01:03:37 **Motion:** Rep. McGillvray moved **TO TABLE** SB 236.

Discussion:

01:04:37 Rep. McAlpin

01:04:40 Rep. Stoker

01:05:00 Rep. Becker

01:05:20 Rep. McGillvray

01:05:45 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 504

01:07:55 **Motion:** Rep. Caferro moved SB 504 **BE CONCURRED IN**.

Discussion:

01:09:55 Rep. Peterson

01:11:39 Rep. Caferro

01:11:45 Rep. McGillvray

01:13:59 **Vote:** Motion on SB 504 failed 7-7 by roll call vote with Reps. Becker, French, Sands, Caferro, Jones, Reinhart and McAlpin voting aye.

Discussion:

01:15:06 Rep. Caferro

01:15:12 Rep. French

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 6:00 P.M.

REP. RON STOKER, Chairman

DEBBIE CARLSON, Secretary

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Additional Exhibits:

EXHIBIT ([huh76aad.pdf](#))